III. For the right to collect oranges from the Tholpatti orange grove for a period of three years from 1st January 1897 to 31st December 1899, a deposit of Rs. 30 must accompany each tender, and the successful tenderer will be required to deposit a further sum of Rs. 50 with the District Forest Officer for the due fulfilment of his contract, which sum will be returned or deducted from the last instalment of the terms of the contract.

2. Tenders should be superscribed "Tenders for oranges" and will be opened on the 15th November 1896 by the District Forest Officer, North Malabar, who reserves to himself the right to reject any or all the tenders.

3. The successful tenderer will be required to pay the amount of his tender in three equal instalments.

For further particulars apply to the undersigned.

H. FIREMAN, *Dt. Forest Officer, North Malabar.*

BANGALORE DISTRICT.

Notification, dated 31st October 1896.

In continuation of this office Notification J. No. 1098–1099, dated 7th March 1896, A. Krishnasamaiengar, Deputy Amildar and 3rd Class Magistrate of Closepet, is hereby invested with the following additional powers also :—

(1) Power to make orders prohibiting repetition of nuisances, Section 143, Criminal Procedure Code.

(2) Power to make orders, under Section 144, Criminal Procedure Code.

V. N. NARASIMMIYENGAR, *Dt. Magistrate.*

TUMKUR DISTRICT.

Notice, dated 27th October 1896.

The depositors of the Mysore Government Savings Bank, Tumkur district, are hereby requested to send their Pass books to the undersigned for annual adjustment of interest for the year 1895-96.

T. MIR KAMALUDDIN ALI KHAN, *Treasury Officer.*

KADUR DISTRICT.

Notification, dated 6th October 1896.

Notice is hereby given that the undermentioned lands in the Bhiredevaru village, Koppa taluk, Kadur district, applied for for coffee cultivation, will be sold by public auction at 11 A.M. on Monday the 7th December 1896 at Hariharpur before the Amildar of the Koppa taluk, subject to confirmation by the Deputy Commissioner of this district.

2. The sale shall be by public auction under the usual conditions and the land shall be knocked down to the highest bidder above the upset price, *viz.*, Rs. 10 per acre. The deposit of one-fourth of the upset price made by the applicant shall, if the land be knocked down to him at the auction, be credited towards his deposit of 25 per cent of the purchase money, and it shall be refunded to him if the land is purchased by any other person in the auction.

3. The upset price fixed as above shall include survey expenses and the right of Government to all reserved trees, except sandal, which will always be reserved absolutely by Government.

4. The highest bidder should, immediately after the close of the sale, pay a deposit of 25 per cent of the purchase money, inclusive of the deposit referred to in para 2, and the remainder before sunset on the fifteenth day from the date of sale. In default of payment, within the prescribed period, of the full amount of purchase money, the deposit after defraying thereout the expenses of the sale shall be forfeited to Government and the property shall be re-sold and the defaulting purchaser shall forfeit all claim to the property or to any part of the sum for which it may be subsequently sold, provided that in any case in which the enforcement of this condition may involve undue hardship it shall be competent to the Deputy Commissioner to submit the necessary recommendation for the order of Government.

If the proceeds of the sale which is eventually made be less than the price bid by such defaulting purchaser, the difference shall be recoverable from him by the Deputy Commissioner as an arrear of land revenue.

5. The land sold under these rules shall be held free of assessment for the first three years and on half assessment for the next two years, full assessment being payable from and after the sixth year. But before the concession is granted, the purchaser must bind himself in writing to pay the full assess-